

Line 16 is the total of Melvin's short-term loss of \$800 and long-term gain of \$4,000. Lines 15 and 16 both show gains, and Melvin's taxable income is more than zero, so you must complete the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on capital gains.

Part III Summary

16 Combine lines 7 and 15 and enter the result. If line 16 is a loss, skip lines 17 through 20, and go to line 21. If a gain, enter the gain on Form 1040, line 13, and then go to line 17 below . . .	16	
17 Are lines 15 and 16 both gains? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Go to line 18. <input type="checkbox"/> No. Skip lines 18 through 21, and go to line 22.		
18 Enter the amount, if any, from line 7 of the 28% Rate Gain Worksheet on page D-7 of the instructions ►	18	
19 Enter the amount, if any, from line 18 of the Unrecaptured Section 1250 Gain Worksheet on page D-8 of the instructions ►	19	
20 Are lines 18 and 19 both zero or blank? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Complete Form 1040 through line 43, and then complete the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on page 34 of the Instructions for Form 1040. Do not complete lines 21 and 22 below. <input type="checkbox"/> No. Complete Form 1040 through line 43, and then complete the Schedule D Tax Worksheet on page D-9 of the instructions. Do not complete lines 21 and 22 below.		
21 If line 16 is a loss, enter here and on Form 1040, line 13, the smaller of: <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The loss on line 16 or • (\$3,000), or if married filing separately, (\$1,500) <div style="font-size: 3em; margin: 0 10px;">}</div> <div style="flex-grow: 1; border-bottom: 1px solid black; position: relative;"> <div style="position: absolute; right: -10px; top: -5px;">.</div> </div> </div> Note. When figuring which amount is smaller, treat both amounts as positive numbers.	21 ()
22 Do you have qualified dividends on Form 1040, line 9b? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Complete Form 1040 through line 43, and then complete the Qualified Dividends and Capital Gain Tax Worksheet on page 34 of the Instructions for Form 1040. <input type="checkbox"/> No. Complete the rest of Form 1040.		